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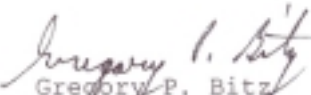
MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE
CLEVELAND CENTER
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE
DENVER CENTER
DIRECTOR, DFAS CENTER FOR OPERATING FORCES-
INDIANAPOLIS
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE
KANSAS CITY CENTER

SUBJECT: Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding FICA Maximum
Taxable Wages and Maximum FICA Tax for 1997-2000
(DFAS Item Number I-56)

This is DFAS Interim Change 13-00 to Table 45-1 of the DoDFMR,
Vol 7A. This change is effective immediately.

The purpose of this change is to update the maximum taxable wages
subject to FICA and the maximum FICA tax for 1997-2000. The FICA
percentage remained the same and this change is effective immediately.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft change to the
DoDFMR, Volume 7A. The attached final version of the change
incorporates your comments where appropriate. Assignment of an
interim change number is your authority to start a procedural
modification, if necessary, to facilitate this change. For the Denver
Center, use the attached to initiate the formal printed change to the
DoDFMR, Volume 7A, and the interim change


Gregory P. Bitz
Director for Finance

Attachment:
As stated

cc: OUSD(C) ODCFO (FC)
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ODGC (F)
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1. Add the following entries to the end of Table 45-1:

FICA PERCENTAGES AND MAXIMUM TAXABLES WAGES AND MAXIMUM TAX							
Year	Social Security	+	HI	-	Total	Maximum Wages	Maximum Tax
1997	6.20					65,400	4,054.80
1997			1.45			Unlimited	
1998	6.20					68,400	4,240.8
1998			1.45			Unlimited	
1999	6.20					72,600	4,501.20
1999			1.45			Unlimited	
2000	6.20					76,200	4,724.40
2000			1.45			Unlimited	

2. In the bibliography, delete the entire entry (table and citation reference) for Table 45-1, note 1.